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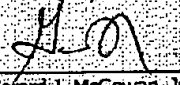
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Serial No.: 09/577,306
Filed: May 24, 2000
For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF A FROZEN FOOD PRODUCT

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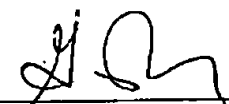
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